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1. Unification of the two factions of the Confederacion Nacional del Trabajo can be expected to be complete by mid-June 1949, according to Jose E. LEIVA. The unification agreement will be based on recognition of the authority of the CNT inside Spain. Activities of a purely political nature will be abandoned and the CNT will return to its essentially trade-union origins.
2. LEIVA predicted that the immediate consequence of unification would be a resumption of direct armed action by the CNT inside Spain. The Spanish police no longer would be able to exploit the division in CNT ranks, as they have in the past, especially in Barcelona, to obtain information about clandestine activities.
3. LEIVA hoped that the unification agreement would provide that Genetistas could oppose any particular policy of the CNT within the councils of the organization without being expelled. The resolutions of CNT assemblies should be respected, he said, but democratic procedure should permit some leeway to the opposition. He said that he himself, for example, could get along with anarchists, although he would remain an opponent of direct action.

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